Secretary of State shall instruct the proper quota-control officer to deduct three numbers from the appropriate quotas for the first year that such quotas are available.

Approved September 1, 1954.

Private Law 996

CHAPTER 1250

September 1, 1954 [H. R. 4813] AN ACT

For the relief of Radu Florescu and Nicole Elizabeth Michel Florescu.

66 Stat. 163. 8 USC 1101 note. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the purposes of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Radu Florescu and Nicole Elizabeth Michel Florescu shall be held and considered to have been lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence as of the date of the enactment of this Act upon payment of the required visa fees. Upon the granting of permanent residence to such aliens as provided for in this Act, the Secretary of State shall instruct the proper quota-control officer to deduct two numbers from the appropriate quotas for the first year that such quotas are available. Approved September 1, 1954.

Quota deductions.

Private Law 997

CHAPTER 1251

September 1, 1954 [H. R. 5461] AN ACT

To confer jurisdiction upon the United States Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Wah Chang Corporation against the United States.

Wah Chang Corp.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding any statute of limitations, lapse of time, or any prior court decision on this claim by any court of the United States, jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the United States Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Wah Chang Corporation against the United States for compensation for loss of property and for removal expenses incurred as a result of the acquisition in the year 1942 by the United States for military purposes of pier numbered 13, New York foreign trade zone, Staten Island, New York, which had theretofore been leased by said Wah Chang Corporation and upon which the said Wah Chang Corporation had erected and maintained a tungsten processing plant.

SEC. 2. Suit upon such claim may be instituted hereunder not later than one year after the date of the enactment of this Act: Provided, however, That nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as an inference of liability on the part of the United States Government.

Approved September 1, 1954.

Private Law 998

CHAPTER 1252

September 2, 1954 [S. 2316] AN ACT

For the relief of the Birmingham Iron Works, Incorporated.

Birmingham Iron Works, Inc. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Birmingham Iron Works, Incorporated, of Birmingham, Alabama, the sum of \$9,600, in full satisfaction of such company's claim against the United States for reimbursement for losses incurred in 1951, without fault on the part of such company, when, in reliance on the bona fide belief of the president of the company that a contract had been entered into between the company and the United States, the company manufactured forty-nine forges which the United States failed and refused to accept inasmuch as the Government procurement agent had no authority to bind the United States: Provided, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved September 2, 1954.

Private Law 999

CHAPTER 1253

AN ACT

For the relief of Ertogroul Osman,

September 2, 1954 [S. 2618]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding the provision of section 212 (a) (22) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Ertogroul Osman who was granted permanent residence in the United States by an Act of Congress approved October 31, 1951, may be readmitted to the United States for permanent residence provided he is admissible under all other provisions of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Approved September 2, 1954.

66 Stat. 182. 8 USC 1182.

Private Law 1000

CHAPTER 1266

AN ACT

For the relief of the J. A. Vance Company.

September 3, 1954 [H. R. 1107]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the J. A. Vance Company, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, the sum of \$7,368.67. The payment of such sum shall be in full settlement of all claims of such company against the United States for refund of the Federal income taxes which it was required to pay for the taxable year 1944 as a result of the refusal of the Treasury Department to allow, as a deduction from gross income under section 23 (p) of the Internal Revenue Code, the contribution made by such company to its profit-sharing employees' trust for such taxable year: Provided, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved September 3, 1954.

J. A. Vance Co.

53 Stat. 15. 26 USC 23.